## THE SUN, SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 1918. Mr. Chesterton Revises His Manuscript

HE last two paragraphs of Gilbert K. Chesterton's letter printed op page 7 of this magazine were interestingly revised by the English critic. We present a facsimile of the last page of Mr. Chesterton's copy.

As first written Mr. Chesterton's essay review concluded thus:

"That a man so acute [as H. G. Wells] does not see this difficulty is due, I faney, to individual bias. Science is his own new and noble toy, and he will not believe it can be such an instrument of torture. But some who have not his sublime hobby can show cause for keeping a certain vigilance against Prussian materialism as well as Prussian militarism. Nobody proposes to destroy Prussia; for you cannot destroy a place, or even a people; but you can destroy the Prussian system, which is never so systematic as when it is scientific. That is the real way to free the Germans; and it is not so much in a New Germany as in an Old Germany that they will find freedom."

As rewritten this reads:

"This is the deeper difficulty ahead of us in making a League of Nations: that it is exactly in the equality of nations, apart from men, that one nation disbelieves. That so brilliant a thinker does not fully see this difficulty, while he is quite fair and frank about most difficulties, is due, I faney, to individual bias. Science is his own new and noble toy, and he will not believe it can be such an instrument of torture. But some who have not his suba thinker does not fully see this difficulty, while he is quite frank about most difficulties , is due I fancy, to individual biase Science is his own new and noble toy,

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# Books Received in Week Ending August 14

A DAUGHTER OF THE LAND. BY GENE STRATTON PORTER. The story of Kate Bates, an American, who fought for her freedom against long odds, renouncing the easy path of luxury that leads to loss of self-respect. New York: Doubleday, Page & Co. \$1.40.

TANG OF LIFE. BY HENRY HERBERT Knisss. The West of hard riding cowboys and hair trigger guamen-also of roving bands of the I. W. W.—is the back ground for the story of Jim Waring and his son Lorry. The two Eastern girls are not the main interest, except perhaps to Lorry. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Coppany. \$1.50.

FATA MORGANA": A VISION OF EMPIRE. By ELEMENTH BRANDON STANTON. This unskilfully told story deals with Aaron Burr and the schemes to found an empire in the Mississippi Territory and the Southwest. Natchez, Mississippi: Published by the author.

UNCLE REMUS RETURNS. By JOEL CHANDLER HARRIS. It would be a pity to enter under the "Juvenile" heading a book for children of all ages. Here are ten Uncle Remus stories which have never before appeared in book form, Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company. \$1.35.

JAMESIE. By ETHEL SHOWICK. Miss Sidgwick's new novel shows the influence of the war; but the war is in the back-ground. The Irish question has a good deal to do with the development of the deal to The Jamesie of the title is the 7 year old son of Bess and Iveagh, characters in Hatchways. Jamesic dates some cight years or so after Hatchways. Bos-ton: Small, Maynard & Co. \$1.50.

THE WHIRLWIND. By EDNA WORTHLEY UNDERWOOD. "A tense story of Russian court intrigue." Boston: Small, Mayuard & Co. \$1.50.

### Government.

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE. By EDWARD JENKS. The author is well known as a writer and teacher in political and constitutional matters. In simple, untechnical language he describes the different political insti-tutions of the British Empire, giving such historical accounts as are necessary to understand them. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. \$2.

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### Essays.

THE JOYS OF BEING A WOMAN. BY WINDFRED KIRKLAND. This is a series of essays on all sorts of topics, mostly either feminine in interest or presenting the feminine viewpoint. Boston: Houghton Midfin Company. \$1.50.

### War Books.

THE SQUAD LEADER'S NOTE BOOK. This little book, vest pocket size, contains in condensed form the manual of arms, flag signals, definitions, pages for a per-manent record, report blanks and formation blanks on which can be kept a complete record of attendance of every squad member. Menasha, Wisconsin: George Banta Publishing Company.

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THE SUBMARINE IN WAR AND PEACE. By Simon Lake. Mr. Lake, who says that it is his work that, stolen by the Germans, has made the submarine the menace it is to-day, treats fully of the mechanism of the modern submarine, the history of submarine development, submarine inventors and the future possibilities of the craft. Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott Company. \$3.

PRESIDENT WILSON AND THE MORAL AIMS OF THE WAR. BY THE REV. FREDERICK LYNCH. Five others, four of them clergymen, supply additional chapters. New York: Fleming H. Revell Company.

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Juvenile. CAPTAIN KITUK. By Boy J. SNELL. The story of an Eskimo lad who had two ambitions: to restore the prestige of his family as traders and to buy a trading schooner. With the help of the Government teacher he enters his dog team in the All-Alaska Sweepstake, and though he loses the race he makes useful friends. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. \$1.35.

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BOY SCOUTS AT SEA. BY ARTHUR A. CAREY. "A chronicle of the Boy Scout Ship Bright Wing." Boat races, swimming matches, the rescue of shipwrecked sailors—all sorts of excitement off the New England coast. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. \$1.35.

LONE BULL'S MISTAKE. By JAMES WILLARD SCHULTZ. This story, which first appeared in the Youth's Companion, relates the adventures of a rebellious Blackfoot Indian and his family, who wander homeless as the result of the man's breach of the tribe's hunting laws. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company.

### Religion.

THE SHORTER BIBLE: THE NEW TESTAMENT. BY CHARLES FOSTER KENT AND OTHERS. Mr. Kent has aimed at a translation of the New Testament in "simple, dignified, modern English." Verse and chapter divisions have been done away with but are indicated in the of contents. Instead there is a topical treatment, as The Life of Jesus (Matthew, Mark and Luke) followed by The Teachings of Jesus, which is subdivided into his utterances on God and Man and on Man and Society. An inter-esting experiment. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. \$1.

Verse.
SONGS OF SERGEANT SWANSON. BY WILLIAM F. KIRK. These are the thoroughly patriotic and poetical utterances of a Swedish-American soldier. Boston: Small, Maynard & Co.

EARLY ENGLISH ADVENTURERS IN THE EAST. BY ARNOLD WRIGHT. The book covers the period from Drake's cir-cumnavigation of the world at the close of the sixteenth century to the founding of Calcutta at the end of the seventeenth century. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co. \$4.

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THE PROBLEM OF LIFE: A SOLU-TION. By FitzGerald Broad. The author considers his subject from the scientific as well as the metaphysical standpoint. He also takes various ethical problems into account. New York: Published for the author by Brentano's.

### Miscellaneous.

THE FABRIC OF DREAMS. BY KATH-ERINE TAYLOR CRAIG. The author, who is an occultist, presents most of the facts and theories about dreams and the various modes of interpretation from the ancient art of geomancy down to the psychoanalytical methods of Freud and Jung. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co. \$2.50.

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